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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$900 for a Large Entity

- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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Applicant(s): NAMIKI et al.

Serial No.: 10/766,323

Filed: January 29, 2004

Title: CORROSION-RESISTANT

LAMINATED STEEL PART AND CORROSION-PROOFING METHOD FOR LAMINATED STEEL PARTS

Atty. Dkt.: MINB-02018/A-3165

Group Art Unit: 1775

Examiner: Unknown

Commissioner for Patents Arlington, VA 22202 Mail Stop Missing Parts Date: August 10, 2004

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION

Sir:

This is in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed on June 21, 2004 in connection with the above application. Enclosed is a copy of said Notice, as well as the following documents required to complete the filing requirements of the above application.

- Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. The above-identified application is the same application the inventors executed by signing the enclosed declaration; and
- Executed Assignment and Recordation Cover Sheet

Please charge the amount of \$940 to Deposit Account No. 01-0305 to cover the following fees:

- Statutory filing fee of \$770;
- Assignment Recordation Fee of \$40; and
- Missing parts surcharge of \$130;

It is respectfully requested that any additional fees be charged to Deposit Account 01-0305.

Respectfully Submitted

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Effective 10/01/2003. Patent fees are subject to annual revision.

Applicant Claims small entity	status.	See 37	CFR 1.27	_
TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT	(\$)	940		

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Deposit Account Name Adduci, Mastriani & Schaumberg, LLP	1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge – late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
The Commissioner is authorized to: (check all that apply)	1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	
Charge fee(s) indicated below Credit any overpayments	1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
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Charge fee(s) indicated below, except for the filling fee to the above-identified deposit account.	1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
FEE CALCULATION	1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	
1. BASIC FILING FEE	1252	420	2252	210	Extension for reply within second month	
Large Entity Small Entity	1253	950	2253	475	Extension for reply within third month	
Fee Fee Fee Fee Description	1254	1,480	2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month	
Code (\$) Code (\$) Fee Paid 1001 770 2001 385 Utility filing fee	1255	2,010	2255	1005	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1002 340 2002 170 Design filing fee	1401	330	2401	165	Notice of Appeal	
1003 530 2003 265 Plant filling fee	1402	330	2402	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1004 770 2004 385 Reissue filing fee	1403	290	2403	145	Request for oral hearing	
1005 160 2005 80 Provisional filing fee	1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1000 100 2000 00 11000010111119 100	1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive – unavoidable	
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) 0	1453	1,330	2453	665	Petition to revive – unintentional .	
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE	1501	1,330	2501	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
Fee from Extra Claims below Fee Paid	1502	480	2502	240	Design issue fee	
Total Claims 17 -20**= 0 x 18 =	1503	640	2503	320	Plant issue fee	
Independent 3 - 3**= 0 X 86 =	1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
Multiple Dependent =	1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	
Large Entity Small Entity	1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
Fee Fee Fee Fee Description Code (\$) Code (\$)	8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per	40
1202 18 2202 9 Claims in excess of 20	1809	770	2809	385	property (times number of properties) Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
1201 86 2201 43 Independent claims in excess of 3	1810	770	2810	385	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
1203 290 2203 145 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	1801	770	2801	385	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
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